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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): PARTHASARATHY et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1743  
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For: **METHODS AND DEVICES FOR REMOVAL OF ORGANIC MOLECULES FROM BIOLOGICAL MIXTURES USING ANION EXCHANGE**

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**  
**TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision date 2004 and the Advisory Action dated 25 October 2004, of the Primary Examiner rejecting 1-42, 44, 45, and 53-65 of the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.113 and 1.114. Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-4895 in the amount of \$340.00 to cover the Notice of Appeal fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit any over-payment to PTO Deposit Account No. 13-4895.

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